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Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether India has offered to set up a joint Cyber University in UAE;

(b) if so, the other fields in which joint ventures have been proposed to be set up there; and

(c) the response of UAE thereto?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY(SU THIRUNAVUKKARASAR)

(a),(b) and (c): During the recent visit of Hon'ble Rashtrapatiji to UAE, keen interest was shown by UAE for promotingbilateral cooperation in Information Technology sector. With a view to utilizing Indian skill sets and UAE resources, the possibilities of developing knowledge based products and setting up of a joint Cyber University in UAE was discussed.However, no specific joint venture projects have been proposed/identified by either side.